

1907

Forty-fourth Annual Report

of the

New York Society



"THEN SHALL THE LAME MAN LEAP AS AN HART."

for the

Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled

For the Year Ending September 30th, 1907

HOSPITAL

Lexington Avenue, 42d and 43d Streets

"If it be in thy power, remember the sick, the lame and the infirm, with charitable institutions for their benefit. It was one of the most praiseworthy customs of our forefathers, that, when blessed with riches, they applied a part of them to founding pious and charitable institutions. When God bestowed upon them bountiful superfluity during their life-time, by their last testaments they gratefully returned a share of it to God. Their pious hearts, which called God the Father of All, were open to the love of their poorer fellow-creatures, and when the time came the needy were found numbered among their heirs."

LEGACIES TO THE SOCIETY.

The Society has always been greatly aided by this form of generosity. No precise words are necessary to a valid legacy to the corporation. The following form, however, may be suggested:


"I give to the New York Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled the sum of _____dollars."



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PROCEEDINGS AT THE ANNUAL MEETING

Pursuant to public notice the Forty-fourth Annual Meeting of the New York Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled was held at the Hospital, corner of Lexington Avenue and Forty-second Street, on November 14, 1907. Mr. Frederick Sturges was called to the Chair.

Mr. William Church Osborn was appointed Secretary of the Meeting.

The Minutes of the last Annual Meeting were read and approved.

The Annual Report of the Board of Managers and the Report to the Society of the operations of the Hospital by Virgil P. Gibney, M. D., Surgeon-in-Chief, were read and approved.

The Treasurer, Mr. Frederick Sturges, submitted a statement of his accounts for the year, approved by the Auditing Committee, which was read and approved, whereupon it was, on motion,

Resolved, That the Annual Report and the accompanying reports of the Surgeon-in-Chief and Treasurer be printed under the direction of a Committee, consisting of Mr. Wm. Church Osborn, William Sloane and Dr. V. P. Gibney.

The Annual Election of Officers and Managers of the Society was then held, and the following-named persons recommended by the Nominating Committee were duly elected.

No other business appearing before the meeting, on motion the Society adjourned.

WILLIAM CHURCH OSBORN,

Secretary of the Meeting.

OFFICERS AND MANAGERS

FOR THE YEAR 1907-1908

President,

FREDERICK STURGES.

Vice-Presidents,

JOHN D. WING,

JOHN S. KENNEDY,

WILLIAM B. ISHAM,

JOHN T. WILLETS.

Treasurer,

JOHN S. MELCHER.

27 William Street.

Recording and Corresponding Secretary.

WILLIAM CHURCH OSBORN.

71 Broadway.

Board of Managers,

WILLIAM H. MACY, JR.,

ADRIAN ISELIN, JR.,

ARTHUR P. STURGES,

WILLIAM SLOANE,

S. SIDNEY SMITH,

JOHN N. STEARNS, JR.,

GEORGE C. CLARK, JR.,

GUY R. McLANE,

JOHN S. MELCHER,

ROBERT KELLY PRENTICE.

GERALDYN REDMOND.

STANDING COMMITTEES

Executive Committee.

S. SIDNEY SMITH, CHAIRMAN, WILLIAM SLOANE,
JOHN T. WILLETS, JOHN N. STEARNS, JR.,
WM. C. OSBORN, JOHN S. MELCHER,
FREDERICK STURGES, EX-OFFICIO.

Finance Committee,

JOHN T. WILLETS, CHAIRMAN.

S. SIDNEY SMITH, JOHN N. STEARNS, JR.,
JOHN S. MELCHER, FREDERICK STURGES, EX-OFFICIO.

Nominating Committee.

WILLIAM SLOANE, CHAIRMAN,

JOHN D. WING, JOHN N. STEARNS, JR.
FREDERICK STURGES, EX-OFFICIO.

SURGICAL AND MEDICAL STAFF

VIRGIL P. GIBNEY, M. D.....*Surgeon-in-Chief.*

WILLIAM T. BULL, M. D.....*Attending Surgeon to Hernia Dept.*

Associate Surgeons,

ORTHOPEDIC DEPT.

HERNIA DEPT.

WISNER R. TOWNSEND, M. D., WILLIAM B. COLEY, M. D.,

ROYAL WHITMAN, M. D., JOHN B. WALKER, M. D.

Consulting Surgeons.

JOHN W. S. GOULEY, M. D., CHARLES MCBURNEY, M. D.,

ROBERT ABBE, M. D., CHARLES T. POORE, M. D.,

JOSEPH D. BRYANT, M. D., HENRY S. STEARNS, M. D.

Attending Physicians,

NATHANIEL BOWDITCH POTTER, M. D.

TILLINGHAST BULL, M. D.

Assistant Attending Physician.

ARCHIBALD H. BUSBY, M. D.

Consulting Physicians,

EDWARD G. JANEWAY, M. D., L. EMMET HOLT, M. D.,

F. P. KINNICUTT, M. D. A. ALEXANDER SMITH, M. D.,

AUSTIN FLINT, JR., M. D. WALTER B. JAMES, M. D.,

L. DUNCAN BULKLEY, M. D.... *Consultant in Diseases of the Skin.*

DAVID WEBSTER, M. D.....*Consultant in Diseases of the Eye.*

GORHAM BACON, M. D.....*Consultant in Diseases of the Ear.*

JOSEPH COLLINS, M. D.....*Consultant in Diseases of the Nerves.*

PEARCE BAILEY, M. D.....*Consultant in Diseases of the Nerves*

D. BRYSON DELAVAN, M. D... *Consultant in Diseases of the Throat.*

HOUSE STAFF

CHAS. E. PRESTON, M. D.....	<i>House Surgeon</i>
CLARENCE B. FRANCISCO, M. D.....	<i>Senior Assistant.</i>
GUY P. GRIGSBY, M. D.....	<i>Junior Assistant.</i>
MR. FRANK CHILD.....	<i>Resident Student.</i>

CHARLES OGILVY, M. D.,	<i>Anaesthetist and Instructor in Anaesthesia.</i>
F. M. JEFFRIES, M. D.....	<i>Pathologist and Bacteriologist.</i>
F. H. ALBEE, M. D.....	<i>Radiologist.</i>
RICHARD D. QUAILE, D. D. S..	<i>Dental Surgeon.</i>
JAKOB BOLIN.....	<i>Massage and Gymnastics.</i>

HOW APPOINTMENTS ON HOUSE STAFF ARE MADE.

Candidates for positions on the House Staff must be graduates in medicine. In making an appointment, preference is given to those who have had a general hospital service. A member of the Staff is appointed in February, June and October. He serves four months as Junior, four as Senior, and four as House Surgeon, residing in the Hospital during the entire period of twelve months. The applications are to be made both personally and in writing to the Surgeon-in-Chief or Superintendent.

OUT-PATIENT STAFF

ORTHOPEDIC DEPARTMENT.

Chief of Clinics,

W. R. TOWNSEND, M. D., ROYAL WHITMAN, M. D.

Assistant Surgeons,

HOMER GIBNEY, M. D., HENRY LING TAYLOR, M. D.

Clinical Assistants,

CHARLES D. NAPIER, M. D., E. LEROY BARNETT, M. D.,
ARTHUR H. CILLEY, M. D., RUSSELL PEMBERTON, M. D.,
P. W. NATHAN, M. D., JOHN CARLING, M. D.,
CHARLTON WALLACE, M. D., WALTER W. STRANG, M. D.
LEONARD W. ELY, M. D., FRED. H. ALBEE, M. D.,
 JACQUES C. RUSHMORE, M. D.
 THE SENIOR ASSISTANT.

Neurologist to Out-Patients,

JOSEPH F. TERRIBERRY, M. D.,
THEODORE H. ROMEISER, M. D.

MISS KATHARINE B. PARK.....*Instructor in Gymnastics.*

DEPARTMENT FOR HERNIA.

Chiefs of Clinic,

WILLIAM B. COLEY, M. D., JOHN B. WALKER, M. D.

Assistant Surgeons,

J. HILTON WATERMAN, M.D. PRESTON P. SATTERWHITE, M.D.

Clinical Assistants,

SHIRLEY E. SPRAGUE, M. D., DAVID H. GILLESPIE, M. D.,
EMMA E. WALKER, M. D. CAROLINE S. FINLEY, M. D.
 THE JUNIOR ASSISTANT.

WILLIAM A. STUBBS.....*Registrar.*
MISS ELLA S. MURDOCK.....*Matron.*

HOUSE OFFICERS

Superintendent,

OLIVER H. BARTINE.

Matron and Directress of Nurses,

MISS ELLA S. MURDOCK.

Chief Clerk,

HENRY J. MERLE.

Assistant Clerk,

WILLIAM A. STUBBS.

Apothecary,

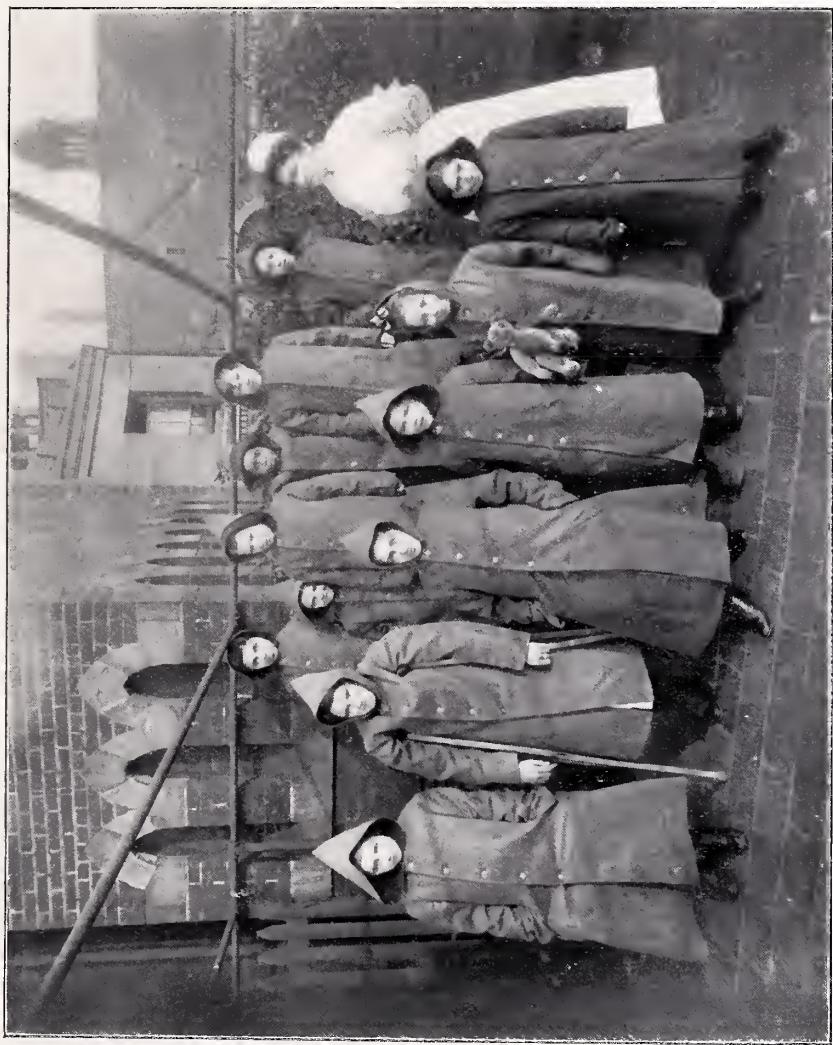
HARVEY B. HUTCHINSON.

Housekeeper,

MISS HELEN E. LUND.

Stenographer,

MISS ESTELLE GOLER.



ROOF GARDEN IN WINTER.

FORTY-FOURTH ANNUAL REPORT

of the

BOARD OF MANAGERS

of the

New York Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled

In presenting their annual report to the public, the trustees of the Society wish to express their thanks to the many benevolent persons who have given subscriptions to the Hospital during the past year. It is an evidence that as the needs of the Hospital become known, the general public of New York will renew their support of it. The construction of the new Hospital building in 1898 has approximately doubled the work of the Hospital, and has more than doubled its efficiency and standards. It is owing to this fact that the trustees must ask for additional revenue.

A comparison of the accounts of the cost of maintenance of the Hospital this year with the cost in previous years, and with the cost of other similar institutions, will show that the trustees and the members of the Executive Staff have worked harmoniously and successfully for the practice of all due economies in the administration of the Hospital. Notwithstanding this, however, the Hospital has had to draw on its Endowment Fund in the sum of approximately \$20,000.

To turn to the more cheerful side of the picture, we can report that the work of the Hospital has been maintained at a high point, both in the standards of care, in the number of persons treated and in the readiness of the medical staff to meet the varying phases of disease which arise in this great city. A most grati-

fyng advance has been made in the management of the school. The efficiency of the grade work has been greatly increased by the addition of new teachers and the kindergarten under Miss Kiralphy and her assistant, Miss Stillman, is a real success. The school has been recently visited by the District Superintendent, Mr. Edw. W. Stitt, and in his report he speaks of it in the most favorable terms.

The interest and variety brought into the lives of our children by the use of special classes in basketry, weaving and sewing, etc., and the kindergarten games and studies, is a great blessing to our children.

Any person desiring to visit the hospital should not fail to drop in in the morning hours and visit the kindergarten classes. The summer work of the hospital has been conducted on the usual lines and the thanks of the Board of Managers are especially addressed to Robins Nest, Tarrytown, N. Y., Country Home for Convalescent Babies at Sea Cliff, L. I.; Children's Aid Society of New York; Association for Improving the Conditions of the Poor; St. John's Guild; Seaside Hospital and the Crippled Children's Driving Association, for the care of our children during the summer.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM CHURCH OSBORN,
Secretary.



WARD NEW BUILDING

REPORT OF THE TREASURER.

THE NEW YORK SOCIETY FOR THE RELIEF OF THE RUPTURED AND CRIPPLED, IN ACCOUNT WITH FREDERICK STURGES,
TREASURER, FOR THE YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1907.

Cr.

To Hospital expenditures.....	\$90,970.86	By Cash from City of New York.....	\$22,914.40
		“ patients	14,883.41
		“ “ Saturday and Sunday Collections....	3,673.24
		“ “ Sundry donations	14,230.82
		“ “ Interest on investments.....	13,656.96
		“ “ Various Hospital sources.....	284.53
		Paid from principal of Endowment Fund to cover	
		the deficit for the year.....	21,327.50
			<u>\$90,970.86</u>

New York, September 30, 1907.

Attest: { JOHN T. WILLETS, }
 { WM. H. MACY, JR., } *Auditors.*FREDERICK STURGES,
Treasurer.

Dr.	CLOTHING FUND, TO PROVIDE DESTITUTE CHILDREN IN THE HOSPITAL WITH CLOTHING.	Cr.	
1907.	1906		
Jan. 11. To bill of J. H. Block.....	\$55.10	Dec. 14. From Mrs. W. H. Bradford in memory of W.	
May 10 " " Bloomingdale Bros.	14.68	H. Bradford	\$50.00
June 14 " " "	13.12	1907	
July 12 " " J. H. Block Co.	34.15	March 11. From N. S. Meinhard.....	5.00
Sept. 13 " " Bloomingdale Bros.	29.83	June 26. " Mrs. W. H. Bradford in memory of W.	
		H. Bradford	50.00
		Sept. 30. Paid from principal of Endowment Fund to	
		cover the deficit for the year.....	41.88
			<u>\$146.88</u>
			\$146.88

FREDERICK STURGES,
*Treasurer.*Attest: { JOHN T. WILLETS, }
 { WM. H. MACY, JR., } *Auditors.*
New York, September 30, 1907.

MAGGIE L. KNAPP FUND.		Cr.
<i>Dr.</i>		
1907.		
Sept. 30. Balance on hand.....	\$144.47	1906. Sept. 30. Balance on hand..... \$140.95
		1907.
		Sept. 30. Interest to date..... 3.52
	\$144.47	\$144.47
JOHN T. WILLETS, <i>Auditors.</i> WM. H. MACY, JR., New York, September 30, 1907.		
FREDERICK STURGES, <i>Treasurer.</i>		
THANKSGIVING DINNER FUND, IN ACCOUNT WITH FREDERICK STURGES, TREASURER, FOR THE YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1907.		
<i>Dr.</i>		Cr.
1906.		
Dec. 14. To Cash for Thanksgiving Dinner: Poultry, Fruits, Vegetables, Ice Cream, Cakes and Pies	\$106.62	1906. Nov. 19. Received from Mrs. Wm. S. Brown..... \$50.00
		1907.
		Sept. 30. Paid from principal of Endowment Fund to cover the deficit for the year..... 56.62
	\$106.62	\$106.62
JOHN T. WILLETS, <i>Auditors.</i> WM. H. MACY, JR., New York, September 30, 1907.		
FREDERICK STURGES, <i>Treasurer.</i>		

CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL FUND, IN ACCOUNT WITH FREDERICK STURGES, TREASURER, FOR THE YEAR ENDING
SEPTEMBER 30, 1907.

Dr.

Cr.

1906.

Dec. 21. Cash for Christmas Gratuities to Em-
ployees of Hospital.....

\$415.00

1907.

Jan. 11. Poultry, Fruits, Vegetables and Pies... \$93.42
Ice Cream and Cakes..... 18.15
Trees and Dressings..... 76.50
Electrical Supplies..... 34.12
Gifts to Children..... 146.70
Stationery, Printing and Postage for
Festival..... 25.50

394.39

1907.

Jan. 31. From Broadway Tabernacle Infant Class, Sun-
day School..... 20.00
Sept. 30. Paid from principal of Endowment Fund to
cover the deficit for the year..... 576.49

\$809.39

Attest: { JOHN T. WILLETS, } *Auditors.*
{ WM. H. MACY, JR., }
New York, September 30, 1907.

Dr.

JOHN H. RUTHERFORD FUND.

Cr.

1907.

Sept. 30. For Board of Hernia Patients during the
year..... \$343.45
Balance on hand..... 546.69

\$890.14

Attest: { JOHN T. WILLETS, } *Auditors.*
{ WM. H. MACY, JR., }
New York, September 30, 1907.

1906.

Dec. 31. From Frederick Sturges..... \$100.00
" Miss Helen Gould..... 100.00
" Mrs. J. A. Rice..... 5.00
" Gustave Lange..... 5.00
" Mrs. F. Manfred..... 1.00
" Norwich, Conn..... 1.00
" Katharine Woodruff..... .90

FREDERICK STURGES,
Treasurer.

1906.
Sept. 30. By Balance..... \$871.50
1907.
Sept. 30. Balance of Interest..... 18.64

\$890.14

FREDERICK STURGES,
Treasurer.

Aug. 9. Nurse for July at Robins Nest.....	50.00
Maids, for July at Robins Nest.....	15.25
Expenses at Robins Nest.....	1.90
Fares to and from Robins Nest.....	8.25
Express to Bath Beach.....	.50
Strawberries, a/c B. R. McAlpine's Treat....	4.55
Ice Cream Treat.....	8.40
	88.85
Sept. 13. Nurse for August at Robins Nest.....	50.00
Maid, for August at Robins Nest.....	16.00
Dr.'s, to and from Robins Nest.....	2.80
Expenses at Robins Nest.....	1.40
Carfares, Sea Breeze.....	.90
Carfares, Bath Beach.....	2.60
Carfares, New Dorp.....	.60
Ice Cream Treat.....	18.15
	92.45
Sept.. 30. Balance.....	411.70
	\$921.09

Attest: { JOHN T. WILLETS, }
 { WM. H. MACY, JR., } *Auditors.*
 New York, September 30, 1907.

FREDERICK STURGES,
Treasurer.

TO THE BOARD OF MANAGERS

of the New York Society for the

RELIEF OF THE RUPTURED AND CRIPPLED.

Gentlemen.—The Forty-fourth Annual Report of the Hospital, including the Out-Patient Department, is herewith presented, and I beg leave to call your attention to the character of the work accomplished during the year. The actual number of new patients is less than that of the year preceding, yet there was an increase of fifty-four in the hospital wards, the number being 974 against 920 for 1905-6.

The results are as follows: Cured, 323; improved, 359; not improved, 33; not treated, 17; died, 11; making a total of 743 discharged prior to the 1st of October, 1907. It may interest you to know that 327,316 patients have been recorded for treatment since the Society was organized, and it is a natural inference that an army of cripples have been restored to the use of their limbs.

In the Hernia Department, there have been treated during the last year 4,590 patients, and 241 operations have been performed for the radical cure of hernia in the In-door Department during this period.

A report of the results of the operations for the radical cure of Hernia at the Hospital for Ruptured and Crippled, since 1890, has been recently published by Drs. Bull and Coley, in the Journal of the American Medical Association, September 21, 1907. From May, 1890 to July 1, 1907, 2,032 operations for the radical cure of hernia were performed.



AN OUTING IN CENTRAL PARK.

Of this series 137 were in adults, the remainder in children under the age of fourteen years.

There have been but five deaths in 1,978 cases of inguinal and femoral hernia, or a mortality of one-fourth of one per cent.; and only nineteen relapses in the entire number. In 1,185 cases of inguinal hernia in boys, operated upon by Bassini's method, there have been only nine relapses.

The Out-Patient Department has been taxed to its utmost during the Summer by reason of an epidemic of poliomyelitis, commonly known as Infantile Spinal Paralysis; the run beginning about the 1st of June, and at the close of the fiscal year, October 1, was at its height. Two or three reports have been made in the Medical Press, and before the New York Academy of Medicine, by members of the Staff, showing the extent of this scourge which unfortunately attacks infants and young children. Inasmuch as the last of these reports was made after the close of the Books of the Hospital, say early in November, I shall be obliged to furnish some statistics that were compiled after the 1st of October. This report includes patients recently attacked, from the latter part of May to November 1, but the actual beginning was June 1. The number is 387, which is nearly ten times as great as that of the same months in 1906. There were 141 children under two years of age, 17 between two and three years, and 69 between the third and fourth years, while there were 58 between four and eight, and 32 after the eighth year. It will be seen, therefore, that the epidemic of 1907 includes 80 patients over four years of age, differing in this respect from former epidemics. There were 216 male and 171 female children. It has been hard to recognize the disease in its early stage because of its resemblance to cerebro-spinal meningitis, which was a scourge in this City three years ago. We are indebted to the Rockefeller Institute for valuable assistance in our efforts to determine the nature of the disease, although we are obliged to admit that as yet no cause has been found. The study is still in progress, and we hope before the expiration of another year to be able to state

definitely just what germ is the cause of this distressing malady. It is safe to expect that the disabilities from the paralysis which follows in the wake of this epidemic will be an additional burden because of the apparatus which institutions like ours are called upon to manufacture for the protection of joints and the avoidance of strain on the muscles in all stages of the paralysis. The high standing of the Surgeons in charge of the Out-Patient Department has given the institution a reputation for scientific work and for diagnostic ability, so that a great many people in well-to-do circumstances, and frequently on the advice of their physicians, apply for relief, claiming that they can get better service here, and when the diagnosis is given they seem satisfied, because the physician himself, who has thus contributed to the abuse of charity, will be able the better to conduct the case to a successful issue.

As in former years, I take great pleasure in commending the educational features of the hospital. It is very helpful to a crippled child to attend school, get out of the ward, and out of bed. Diversion of a very useful character is thus afforded, and the Board of Education has helped us in securing excellent service in this branch of hospital work. Even the little tots in the Kindergarten are entertained, and have little time to think of their bodily ills.

During the past few years much enthusiasm has been aroused in various parts of the country in favor of open-air treatment, not only for tuberculosis patients, but also for all kinds of chronic ailments, and our aim has been to keep abreast of the times. For many years the Annual Report has been well filled with appeals for a country hospital of large acreage. Yet to-day we are still appealing, but while waiting for this millenium, we have not been neglectful of the opportunities afforded in this great City of New York. For a great many years your Hospital has had a roof-garden. In fact it was a pioneer. During the past year, through the generosity of one of the new members of your Board this roof-garden has been made exceedingly attractive. Flowers

and shrubs and green plants of all kinds have been contributed by this gentleman, and this garden has become so attractive that we can make use of it Winter and Summer. Funds have been provided for the purchase of heavier clothing, overcoats, blankets, etc., so that we can cope favorably with a kindred institution at the sea-shore under the auspices of our friend, the New York Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor. It is needless to say that the Administrative Officers of the Hospital have taken up this fresh air work in the hospital with commendable zeal, and we hope in another report to give most satisfactory results.

The care of the children's teeth has been a helpful feature in our treatment. The Dental Surgeon, Dr. Quail, has been especially active during the year. It gave us pleasure to welcome, and to extend the privilege of the Operating Room and a few beds in the wards, to the First Dental Society of the State of New York, on their Thirty-eighth Annual Meeting, December 11 and 12. The work on cleft-palate was most instructive. Appreciation of this courtesy has been manifested in various ways, and quite recently a substantial contribution to the Hospital came from the Dental Society.

Along this line, our indebtedness must be expressed to the different homes and hospitals in the suburbs of this City. The Summer months have been lengthened, and we find children returning from these admirable Charities late in the Fall, and going out early in the Spring. The Robin's Nest at Tarrytown has cared for seventy-five children, making a total of 3,218 days. The Country Home for Convalescent Babies at Sea Cliff, Long Island, has very generously extended its hospitality to nine patients who are beyond its age limit. There are 517 days to the credit of this worthy Home. The Children's Aid Society at Bath Beach have contributed 497 days, 44 children being the recipients of this bounty. The Sea-Side Hospital, under the auspices of St. John's Guild, cared for seven patients, 402 days in all. It gives me great pleasure to speak in high terms of praise of their offer

this Summer to retain our most needy cases, in fact, patients that we could not make other provisions for in the Country. They were all returned to the Hospital in a very much improved condition. The New York Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor has really kept the Sea Breeze Hospital at Coney Island filled with our patients, and we have been in the habit of looking upon it as an adjunct to the Hospital for Ruptured and Crippled. The Crippled Children's Driving Fund which was originally organized for the benefit of the children of our Wards, has been very active during the past year, and has furnished bi-weekly drives for a large number of our patients during the past seven months.

I must be permitted to acknowledge also in this connection, our indebtedness to numerous friends who have provided entertainments throughout the year, bringing sunshine into the lives of our inmates.

We have added greatly to the efficiency of the Hospital Service by the appointment of Attending Physicians and an Assistant, as will be seen among the list of officers of the staff. Our patrons may feel assured that intercurrent diseases in the Hospital will now be given the best of attention and not removed as in the past to a general hospital.

The pathologist of the Hospital has furnished the following

Blood Examinations	48
Tissue Examinations	36
Pus Examinations	13
Fluids	4
Milk Samples Examined	6
Urine Examinations	3
Post Mortem	1

Mr. Jakob Bolin, with his assistants, have generously contributed their services, and our patients have profited very much from massage, Swedish movements, and all these aids to Orthopedic work, and our thanks are cheerfully extended.



CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL

To my Colleagues I wish to express indebtedness for invaluable aid, and to the House Staff in particular, we are indebted for the zeal with which the duties assigned have been performed. Indeed, there is a very healthy scientific atmosphere in the Hospital proper, as well as in the Out-Patient Department, and contributions to the literature of Orthopedic Surgery and to Hernia, appear frequently throughout the year in current medical periodicals.

The Superintendent, the Matron, the Registrar, the Nurses, in fact all of the employees of the Institution have been most efficient, and this report would be incomplete without a record of their faithfulness.

I have the honor to be

Your obedient servant

VIRGIL P. GIBNEY, M. D.,

Surgeon-in-Chief.

APPARATUS FURNISHED PATIENTS.

	In Hospi- tal.		In Dispen- sary.	
	1906	1907	1906	1907
For Paralytic deformities.....	31	42	116	157
“ Bow legs	9	16	158	171
“ Knock knees	31	51	46	33
“ Spinal affections	20	26	128	124
“ Hip disease and deformity.....	26	7	30	13
“ Knee “ “	23	17	50	26
“ Ankle “ “ “	51	40	142	142
“ Club feet	3	5	14	8
“ Deformity hand	3	2	9	10
“ Flat feet (pairs).....	15	5	262	292
Abdominal supporters .....	..	..	645	633
Stockings for varicose veins.....	..	..	617	576
Knee lacings .....	..	..	128	121
Umbilical hernia bands .....	..	..	2641	2730
Trusses .....	..	..	3053	2423
Crutches (pairs)	63	70	107	111

Comparative Statistics of Out-Patient Department.

	1906	1907
Total number New Cases.....	11481	11461
Average Number per day	37.9	37.7
Number Subsequent Treatments	34803	33714
Average number per Day.....	114.8	110.9
Total number Treatments.....	46284	45175
Average number per Day.....	152.7	148.6
Greatest number one Day.....	257	237
Least number one Day.....	21	15
Daily Average number of Patients coming under the care of Hospital and Out-Patient Department.....	340.7	348

School.

	1906	1907
No. of Pupils on Register Sept.....	143	116
“ “ admitted during year.....	530	627
“ “ taught during year.....	673	743
“ “ discharged during year.....	557	610
“ “ on register July.....	116	133
“ “ promoted during year.....	123	110
Average daily attendance.....	112	124

COMPARATIVE STATISTICS OF HOSPITAL.

	1906	1907
Patients in Hospital, October 1st.....	206	217
Patients Admitted	714	757
Patients Treated	920	974
Patients Discharged	703	743
Patients remaining Sept. 30th.....	217	231
Of those Discharged there were:		
Cured	288	323
Improved	354	359
Unimproved	25	33
Not Treated	24	17
Died	12	11
Greatest number Patients one day.....	236	235
Least number Patients one day.....	148	156
Average number Patients one day.....	188	199.4
Average number persons in Hospital.....	272.7	290.4
Total number days all persons.....	99529.	105996.
Average Daily cost maintenance all persons.....	\$.94.1	\$.85.8
Average daily cost maintenance, Hospital patients....	1.13.5	1.10.
Average daily Receipts from City for Approved Cases	.41.1	.50.2
Daily Average Cost per Patient for:		
Provisions .....	.25.1	.24.5
Fuel and Lights.....	.09.7	.11.0
Med. and Surgical Supplies.....	.15.9	15.6
Furniture, Beds, etc.....	.02.4	.02.1
Ordinary Repairs .....	.06.2	.03.2
Insurance, etc. ....	.01.6	.01.6
Printing, Postage, etc.....	.01.1	.01.2
Incidentals .....	.02.7	.03.6
Funds.....	.07.7	.05.2

SHOWING THE NUMBER OF NEW PATIENTS RECEIVED MONTHLY—THEIR AGE,
SEX, CLASS AND NATIVITY.

	Number of Cases.	Males.	Females.	Over 21 years.	14 to 21 yrs. inclusive.	Under 14 years.	In-patients.	Out-patients.	Natives.	Natives of Foreign Parentage.	Foreigners.	Colored People.
October, 1906	933	554	379	434	75	424	74	859	355	177	384	17
November, 1906	807	440	367	350	103	354	58	749	345	123	317	22
December, 1906	631	388	243	303	74	254	48	583	271	106	243	11
January, 1907	807	502	305	346	102	359	64	743	339	164	295	9
February, 1907	668	430	268	319	105	274	46	652	287	116	286	9
March, 1907	930	583	347	445	109	381	67	863	372	173	364	21
April, 1907	1,052	627	425	466	131	455	52	1,000	338	244	450	20
May, 1907	1,124	651	473	509	134	481	88	1,036	323	261	521	19
June, 1907	980	572	408	441	107	432	44	936	327	231	408	14
July, 1907	1,213	688	525	507	116	590	85	1,128	416	285	497	15
August, 1907	1,267	718	549	515	123	629	64	1,203	411	328	507	21
September, 1907	1,019	612	407	365	107	547	67	952	455	227	322	15
Total	11,461	6,765	4,696	4,995	1,286	5,180	757	10,704	4,239	2,435	4,594	193

PLAY HALL



Annual Summary of the Patients Treated in this Hospital.

Number of patients treated from May, 1863, to May, 1866.....	3,282
“ “ “ “ 1866, to May, 1867.....	1,684
“ “ “ “ 1867, to May, 1868.....	2,006
“ “ “ “ 1868, to May, 1869.....	2,285
“ “ “ “ 1869, to May, 1870.....	2,507
“ “ “ “ 1870, to May, 1871.....	2,721
“ “ “ “ 1871, to May, 1872.....	3,306
“ “ “ “ 1872, to May, 1873.....	4,023
“ “ “ “ 1873, to May, 1874.....	4,634
“ “ “ “ 1874, to May, 1875.....	5,023
“ “ “ “ 1875, to May, 1876.....	6,226
“ “ “ “ 1876, to May, 1877.....	6,704
“ “ “ “ 1877, to May, 1878.....	7,745
“ “ “ “ 1878, to May, 1879.....	7,759
“ “ “ “ 1879, to May, 1880.....	7,929
“ “ “ “ 1880, to May, 1881.....	7,952
“ “ “ “ 1881, to Oct., 1882.....	13,001
Oct., 1882, to Oct., 1883.....	8,552
“ 1883, to Oct., 1884.....	8,568
“ 1884, to Oct., 1885.....	8,317
“ 1885, to Oct., 1886.....	8,387
“ 1886, to Oct., 1887.....	8,294
“ 1887, to Oct., 1888.....	8,001
“ 1888, to Oct., 1889.....	8,512
“ 1889, to Oct., 1890.....	8,776
“ 1890, to Oct., 1891.....	8,782
“ 1891, to Oct., 1892.....	8,855
“ 1892, to Oct., 1893.....	9,105
“ 1893, to Oct., 1894.....	9,839
“ 1894, to Oct., 1895.....	10,178
“ 1895, to Oct., 1896.....	10,592
“ 1896, to Oct., 1897.....	10,409
“ 1897, to Oct., 1898.....	9,274
“ 1898, to Oct., 1899.....	9,248
“ 1899, to Oct., 1900.....	9,056
“ 1900, to Oct., 1901.....	9,231
“ 1901, to Oct., 1902.....	10,024
“ 1902, to Oct., 1903.....	11,226
“ 1903, to Oct., 1904.....	11,056
“ 1904, to Oct., 1905.....	11,305
“ 1905, to Oct., 1906.....	11,481
“ 1906, to Oct., 1907.....	11,461

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SHOWING THE AILMENTS OF IN-PATIENTS AND THE
NUMBER RECEIVED AND DISCHARGED.

	Rem'ng in Hospital Sept. 30, 1906.	Admitted During Year.	Total Treated.	Discharged During Year.	Rem'ng in Hospital Sept. 30, 1907.
Inguinal Hernia	13	193	206	194	12
Femoral "	1	5	6	6	....
Umbilical " .....	....	7	7	7	....
Ventral " .....	....	2	2	2	....
Not Classified .....	....	3	3	3	....
HIP, Ostitis of.....	56	104	160	94	66
Rheumatoid and Osteo Arthritis..	....	3	3	2	1
Congenital Dislocation	4	23	27	10	17
Coxa Vara .....	....	1	1	1	....
Injuries .....	....	6	6	3	3
SPINE, Ostitis of.....	22	49	71	36	35
Rheumatoid and Osteo Arthritis..	1	2	3	3	....
Lateral and Rhachitic Curvatures	2	1	3	2	1
Injuries .....	....	1	1	1	....
KNEE, Ostitis of.....	22	37	59	38	21
Rheumatoid and Osteo Arthritis..	4	4	8	6	2
Synovitis	2	1	3	2	1
Injuries	1	6	7	7	....
ANKLE AND FOOT, Ostitis of.....	3	4	7	3	4
Rheumatoid and Osteo Arthritis..	1	....	1	1	....
Club Foot—Congenital	3	17	20	16	4
Acquired—Paralytic	14	25	39	27	12
Acquired—Non-Paralytic	3	....	3	3	....
Flat Foot	6	11	17	13	4
Other Affections of Foot and Toes	....	7	7	6	1
HEAD, NECK & UPPER EXTREMITY—					
Torticollis	3	9	12	12	....
Injuries .....	....	2	2	2	....
Affections, Joints of Upper Extrem-	3	4	7	4	3
ity .....	....	1	1	....	1
RHACHITIC CONDITIONS—Rhachitis.	19	47	66	57	9
Knock Knee	11	29	40	30	10
Bow Legs and Ant. Curv.....	3	9	12	12	....
Other Deformities .....	....	1	1	1	....
BONE LESIONS—Periostitis.....	2	10	12	10	2
Osteomyelitis .....	....	2	2	....	2
Tumors	4	24	28	26	2
Dislocations and Fractures .....	....	5	5	5	....
Cong. Deformities or Deficiencies.	....	....	....	....	....
NERVOUS DISEASES—Diseased Condi-					
tions of Brain	1	11	12	10	2
Poliomyelitis	4	33	37	27	10
Other diseased conditions of	....	....	....	....	....
Spinal Cord	5	14	19	19	....
Not Classified	4	44	48	42	6
Total	217	757	974	743	231

REPORT IN TABULAR FORM OF NEW CASES FOR THE YEAR
ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1907.

Orthopedic Department.

DIAGNOSIS.	Number of Cases.	Males.	Females.	Over 21 years.	14 to 21 years.	Under 14 yrs.	In-Patients.	Out-Patients.
HIP, Ostitis of.....	292	140	152	27	38	227	104	188
Rheumatoid and Osteo Arthritis	22	6	16	15	4	3	3	19
Congenital Dislocation	62	17	45	2	5	55	23	39
Coxa Vara	14	11	3	3	6	5	1	13
Neuroses and Trophic Lesions.	5	1	4	2	2	1	....	5
Injuries	87	54	33	19	16	52	6	81
SPINE, Ostitis of.....	243	131	112	22	24	197	49	194
Rheumatoid and Osteo Arthritis	18	10	8	12	1	5	2	16
Lateral and Rhachitic Curvatures	433	128	305	33	171	229	1	432
Neuroses and Trophic Lesions.	5	3	2	3	1	1	....	5
Injuries	74	49	25	38	13	23	1	73
KNEE, Ostitis of.....	132	76	56	27	15	90	37	....
Rheumatoid and Osteo Arthritis	78	33	45	65	4	9	4	74
Synovitis	29	17	12	17	4	8	1	28
Injuries	92	46	46	45	13	34	6	86
ANKLE AND FOOT, Ostitis of.....	44	27	17	9	5	30	4	40
Rheumatoid and Osteo Arthritis	20	11	9	12	4	4	....	20
Club Foot—Congenital	149	104	45	3	6	140	17	132
Acquired—Paralytic	61	38	23	6	106	45	25	36
Acquired—Non-Paralytic	7	2	5	4	....	3	....	7
Flat Foot	1269	625	644	832	249	188	12	1258
Other Affections of Foot and Toes	134	80	54	80	28	26	7	127
HEAD, NECK & UPPER EXTREMITY								
—Torticollis	71	37	34	4	4	63	9	62
Injuries	96	63	33	51	20	25	2	94
Affections, Joints of Upper Extremity	130	66	64	80	20	30	4	126
RHACHITIC CONDITIONS—Rhachitis	116	68	48	....	2	114	1	115
Knock Knee	220	127	93	3	5	212	47	173
Bow Legs and Ant. Curv.....	417	246	171	5	2	410	29	388
Other Deformities	39	19	20	....	1	38	9	30
BONE LESIONS—Periostitis.....	14	9	5	4	3	7	1	13
Osteomyelitis	43	24	19	8	11	24	10	33
Tumors	15	9	6	4	....	11	2	13
Dislocations and Fractures.....	304	189	115	142	33	129	24	280
Cong. Deformities or Deficiencies	69	29	40	....	....	69	5	64

ORTHOPEDIC DEPARTMENT—(Continued).

DIAGNOSIS.	Number of Cases.	Males.	Females.	Over 21 years.	14 to 21 years.	Under 14 yrs.	In-Patients.	Out-Patients.
NERVOUS DISEASES—Diseased								
Conditions of Brain.....	185	89	96	24	8	153	11	174
Poliomyelitis	296	150	146	6	16	274	33	263
Other Diseased Conditions of Spinal Cord	254	142	112	14	13	227	14	240
Diseased Conditions of Peripheral Nerves	109	51	58	66	14	29	....	109
Injuries to the Nervous System	28	21	7	20	2	6	....	28
MISCELLANEOUS—Varicose Veins.	371	85	286	361	10	....	....	371
Sprains, Wounds, &c.....	148	89	59	75	28	45	....	148
Affections of Bursae & Tendons	54	27	27	26	14	14	....	54
Not Classified	622	366	256	183	141	298	44	578
Total	6871	3515	3356	2352	966	3553	547	6324

HERNIA DEPARTMENT.

DIAGNOSIS.	Number of Cases.	Males.	Females.	Over 21 years.	14 to 21 years.	Under 14 yrs.	In-Patients.	Out-Patients.
Inguinal Hernia	2645	2255	390	1507	174	964	193	2452
Femoral Hernia	143	39	104	122	8	13	5	138
Umbilical Hernia	528	167	361	261	4	263	7	521
Ventral Hernia	83	16	67	78	4	1	2	81
Varicocele	88	88	....	50	31	7	....	88
Hydrocele	231	224	7	42	10	179	....	231
Floating Kidney	14	....	14	14	....	....	....	14
Undescended Testis ..	50	50	....	2	9	39	....	50
Orchitis	39	39	....	25	7	7	....	39
Phimosis	50	50	....	2	1	47	....	50
Inguinal Adenitis	74	65	9	27	19	28	....	74
Epididymitis	17	17	....	11	4	2	....	17
Relaxed Abdomen	247	1	246	245	2	....	....	247
Not Classified	381	239	142	257	47	77	3	378
Total	4590	3250	1340	2643	320	1627	210	4380

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 { Right 162
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OPERATIONS.

OPERATIONS.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Cured.	Improved.	Unimproved.	Died.
FORCIBLE CORRECTIONS (Bloodless)—							
Ankle Disease with deformity.....	1	1	....	....	1	....	....
Arthritis (chronic) with deformity..	4	....	4	....	4	....	....
Club Foot—Congenital.....	17	9	8	....	17	....	....
Contractures, Paralytic	12	5	7	....	12	....	....
Flat Foot	14	4	10	4	10	....	....
Fracture, deformity following.....	14	3	11	6	8	....	....
Hip, Congenital Dislocation of.....	38	8	30	10	28	....	....
“ Pathological Dislocation of....	4	1	3	....	3	1	....
“ Disease with Deformity.....	53	24	29	30	22	....	1
Knee “ “ “	28	14	14	10	18	....	....
Shoulder, Dislocation of	5	2	3	1	4	....	....
“ “ Disease with Deformity....	1	....	1	....	1	....	....
Spine, Curvature of	4	....	4	....	4	....	....
Wry Neck	1	1	....	1	....	....	....
OSTEOTOMIES—							
For Bow Legs.....	49	20	29	44	5	....	....
“ Coxa Vara	6	4	2	5	1	....	....
“ Deformity following Fracture... 5	5	1	4	3	2	....	....
“ “ of Ankle Disease.....	1	1	....	....	1	....	....
“ “ “ Hip Disease	13	5	8	5	8	....	....
“ “ “ Knee Disease	8	3	5	4	4	....	....
“ Hallux Valgus	2	....	2	1	1	....	....
“ Congenital Club Foot.....	1	....	1	....	1	....	....
“ Knock Knees	51	26	25	44	7	....	....
“ Porgenital Club Foot (Cuneiform)	1	1	....	....	1	....	....
TENOTOMIES, FASCIOTOMIES & MYOTOMIES—							
For Bow Legs	1	....	1	1	....	....	....
“ Club Foot, Congenital.....	2	....	2	....	....	2	....
“ Contractures, Paralytic	53	22	31	29	24	....	....
“ “ Spastic	13	8	5	....	13	....	....
“ Hip Disease with Deformity....	7	2	5	2	5	....	....
“ Knee “ “ “	2	2	....	1	1	....	....
“ Wry Neck	8	3	5	8	....	....	....
OSTEOCLASIS—							
For Bow Legs.....	3	2	1	3	....	....	....
“ Fracture, Deformity following..	1	1	....	1	....	....	....
“ Knock Knees	4	1	3	2	2	....	....
TENDON TRANSPLANTATION—							
For Contractures, Paralytic	5	4	1	....	5	....	....
ARTHRODESIS—							
For Contractures, Paralytic	25	12	13	2	23	....	....
ASTRAGALECTOMIES—							
For Contractures, Paralytic.....	8	6	2	4	4	....	....
“ Club Foot, Congenital	3	3	....	3	....	....	....
EXPLORATORY INCISIONS—							
For Disease of Knee	2	1	1	....	2	....	....
“ Sarcomata	4	1	3	....	1	2	1

OPERATIONS—(Continued)	Total.	Males.	Females.	Cured.	Improved.	Unimproved.	Died.
“ Cellulitis of Thigh	1	....	1	1	....	....	....
ABSCESSSES, INCISED AND EVACUATED—							
In Ankle	3	2	1	1	2	....	....
“ Hip	21	9	12	4	14	....	3
“ Spine	2	1	1	....	2	....	....
EXCISIONS—							
In Foot	1	....	1	....	1	....	....
“ Knee	2	....	2	1	1	....	....
“ Shoulder	1	....	1	1	....	....	....
Tuberculous Ganglion	1	....	1	1	....	....	....
Tumor in Scrofula	1	1	....	1	....	....	....
Bursa (Spina Bifida)	1	....	1	....	1	....	....
Sarcomatous glands	1	1	....	....	....	....	1
AMPUTATIONS—							
Of Foot for Ostitis Ankle	1	....	1	1	....	....	....
“ Thigh “ “ Knee	1	....	1	....	....	1	....
“ “ “ Sarcoma Femur	2	1	1	1	1	....	....
CURRENTED—							
Sinuses in Ankle	3	2	1	....	3	....	....
Femur, Femur	4	4	....	2	2	....	....
Femur “ Hip	9	5	4	....	9	....	....
“ “ Knee	4	2	2	....	4	....	....
“ “ Pelvis	2	2	....	....	2	....	....
“ “ Tibia	1	1	....	....	1	....	....
“ “ Fibula	1	....	1	1	....	....	....
Sarcoma Knee	1	....	1	....	1	....	....
“ Tibia and Femur	1	....	1	....	....	1	....
HERNIOTOMIES—							
For Inguinal Hernia	221	168	53	221	....	....	....
“ Femoral Hernia	8	3	5	8	....	....	....
“ Umbilical Hernia	8	3	5	8	....	....	....
“ Ventral Hernia	3	....	3	3	....	....	....
“ Epigastric Hernia	1	....	1	1	....	....	....
MISCELLANEOUS—							
Arthrotomy for Synovial Bursitis							
Knee	1	....	1	....	1	....	....
Arthrotomy for Ostitis Knee.....	8	4	4	....	8	....	....
Nerve Transplantation, Erb's Palsy..	1	1	....	....	1	....	....
Congenital Club Foot, Phelps' Oper..	4	2	2	1	3	....	....
“ Webbed Toes and Fingers	3	....	3	....	3	....	....
“ Dislocation, Hip, Open							
Operation	1	....	1	....	1	....	....
Deformity following fracture, Open							
Operation	4	1	3	1	3	....	....
Murphy Operation, Ankylosis Knee..	1	....	1	....	1	....	....
Sequestrotomy Osteomyelitis.....	3	3	....	....	3	....	....
Separation Epiphysis of Femur, Open	2	....	2	2	....	....	....
Whitman Operation, Calcaneo Valgus	7	2	5	....	7	....	....
Total	815	419	396	483	319	7	6

599 patients underwent an operation on 1 occasion.....	599
65 " " " " " 2 " 	130
20 " " " " " 3 " 	60
4 " " " " " 4 " 	16
2 " " " " " 5 " 	10
<hr/> 690	<hr/> 815

MONTHLY VISITS BY CONTINUED PATIENTS.

Whole number of new patients treated.....11,461

Visits at Hospital by continued patients who received treatment at
every visit33,714

	Males.	Females.	Total.
October, 1906	1,588	1,632	3,220
November	1,422	1,614	3,036
December	1,433	1,289	2,722
January, 1907	1,198	1,232	2,430
February	1,107	1,239	2,346
March	1,320	1,482	2,802
April	1,426	1,564	2,990
May	1,543	1,677	3,220
June	1,640	1,258	2,898
July	1,479	1,281	2,760
August	1,573	1,187	2,760
September	1,518	1,012	2,530
Total	17,247	16,467	33,714

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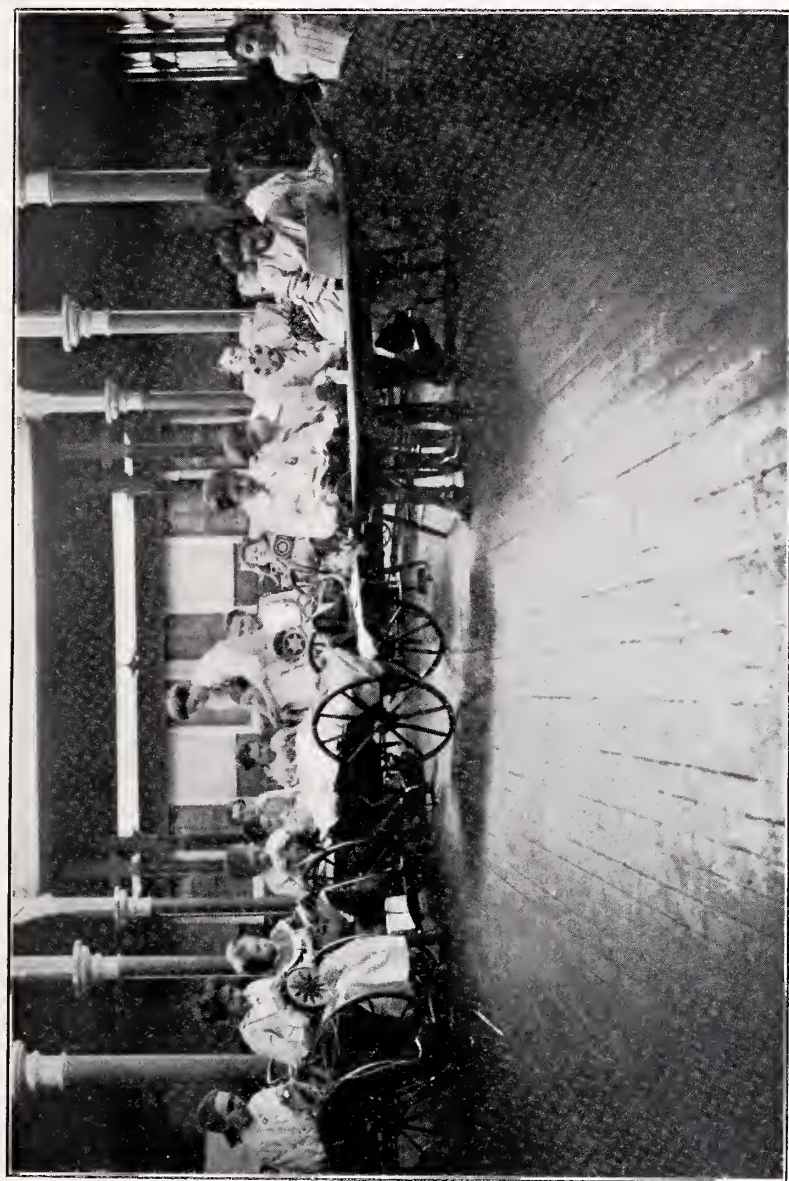
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ISELIN, ADRIAN, JR.	ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH HOSPITAL
JENNINGS, WALTER.	COMMITTEE.
JESUP, MORRIS K.	STETSON, FRANCIS LYNDE.
JOHNSON, F. COIT.	STURGES, ARTHUR P.
LANIER, CHARLES, Treasurer of Hos-	
pital, Saturday and Sunday Asso-	
VILLER's, C. L. DE LANGIERS.	
ciation.	WILCOX, C. H.
LIVINGSTON, JOHNSTON.	WHITEHOUSE, J. HENRY.
MELCHER, JOHN S.	"X. A.," IN JESUS'S NAME.

CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED DURING THE YEAR

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Harkness, Edward S.....	125.00
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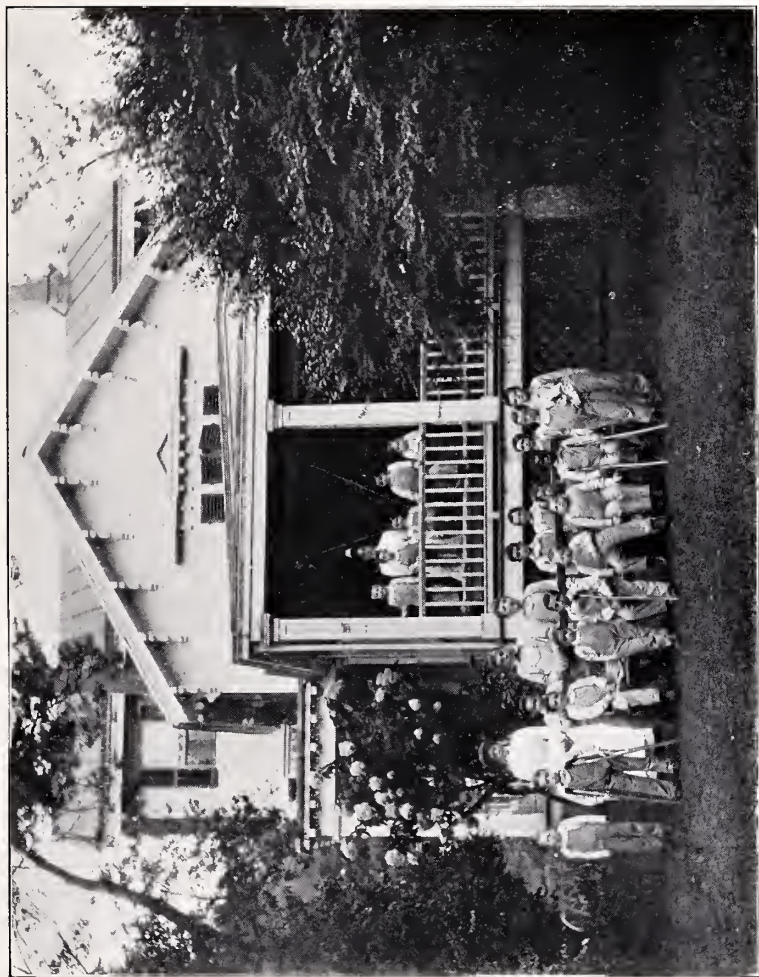
Kohnstarn, L. S.	5.00
Lanier, Charles, Treasurer of the Hospital Saturday and Sunday Association, being amount proportioned by distributing committee from collections	3,673.24
Ladenburg, Thalmann & Co.....	25.00
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Oothout, Mrs. Jane E	10.00
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Osborn, Henry F.....	10.00
Pancoast, Miss Minnie.....	5.00
Parsons, Mrs. Charles.....	10.00
Pell, Rev. Alfred Duane.....	25.00
Phelps, Mrs. Mary R.....	5.00
Phillips, Wm. H.....	50.00
Plough, Natalie K.....	2.00
Post, Abram S.....	10.00
Potter, Miss Blanche.....	50.00
Potter, Miss Martha.....	50.00
Prentice, Robert Kelly.....	10.00
Prince, Miss Mary R.....	10.00
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Redmond, Geraldyn	1,500.00
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Riker, Samuel	25.00
Risley, G. H.....	25.00
Roche, Mrs. Edward G.....	34.00

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Rogers, Robert	10.00
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Simmons, Charles H.....	50.00
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Steinhardt, Henry	10.00
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Turnbull, Mrs. Ramsay.....	5.00
Van Nostrand, Mrs. D. R.....	5.00
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Villars, C. L. de Langiers.....	200.00
Wagner, John	10.00
Wheelock, George G.....	5.00
Whitehouse, J. Henry.....	50.00
Whithaus, Mrs. A. C.....	5.00
Whiting, Giles	10.00
Willcox, C. H.....	50.00
Woerishoffer, Mrs. Anna.....	25.00
Wolff, Mrs. Lewis S.....	10.00
"X. A.," In Jesus' Name.....	1,547.52
Young, Eugene L.....	10.00

SPECIAL DONATIONS

- ALKER, FLORENCE W., 338 Madison Avenue, 2 Noah's arks and dolls.
ALLEN, MR. W. H., flowers in celebration of Miss Dreyfus' wedding.
ALL SOULS' CHURCH, Easter flowers.
AMEND, MISS FRIDA, 33 West 81st Street, magazines.
ANDREWS, MISS M. H., 162 5th Avenue, 72 dolls.
BACKENSTOS, THE MISSES, 348 West 44th Street, books, toys, etc.
BAGGS, MRS. C. C., toys.
BARNUM & BAILEY gave their annual treat to the children by entertaining 68 of them at the Circus on April 16, 1907.
BELL, MRS. G. K., 58 East 72nd Street, truss and toys.
BENTLEY, MR. ED., stockings, candy, basket and chocolate egg.
BERGMAN, MRS. JULIA, 122 West 71st Street, scrap books, knit balls, dolls and ice cream.
BISHOP, MRS. F. C., 215 Madison Avenue, toys.
BOOTH, MRS. C. R., 34 West 131st Street, toys.
BOYD, DEACONESS, St. Bart's Parish House, books, games and toys.
BRADLEY, MR. AND MRS. WM., 23 West 68th Street, flowers, in memory of Mary Eliz. Bradley.
BRAUER, MRS. S., 238 West 122d Street, Christmas tree ornaments.
BRIGHT, MRS., 238 West 114th Street, Blocks, games and books.
BROADWAY TABERNACLE, flowers.
BROWN, MRS. WM. S., Murray Hill Hotel, dolls, teddy bears, hoods, sacques, boots, books and cards.
BRUNELL, MRS., 9 East 43d Street, designs of flowers.
BULL, DR. W. T., 35 West 35th Street, six bottles of malt.
BURRELL, MRS. JAS. P. and MRS. CLARKE, 1 West 81st Street, eighteen knit balls.
CARR, MRS. R. F., Chappaqua, N. Y., flowers.
CARTER, MRS. H. L., Hamilton, Mont., books, cards and pin cushions.
CATON, MRS. F. A., 132 West 97th Street, twelve volumes Natural History.
CHARLTON SCHOOL, THE, 646 Park Avenue, picture.
CHASE, MRS. H. F., 105 East 18th Street, seven games.
CHELLBORG BAKERY, East 23d Street, cake.
CHENEY, MISS ANN HAIGHT, dolls, books, etc.
CHILDS, MISS RUTH, three scrap books.
CHILDS, MRS., 76 East 81st Street, toy train of cars.
CHOTE, MISS H. A., Greenwich, Conn., scrap pictures and dolls from her Sunday School class.
CHURCH OF THE COMFORTER, two scrap books.
CHURCH OF THE STRANGERS, through REV. ASA BLACKBURN, flowers.
CHURCH OF THE HEAVENLY REST, cakes.
CLAUSEN, MRS., Port Chester, ice cream on several occasions.
CLYDE, MRS. W. P., 1 West 51st Street, box of oranges.
COFFIN, MRS. STURGIS., New Canaan, Conn., toys, books, etc.
COLLARD, MRS. GEO. W., 884 5th Avenue, cut flowers.
COOK, MRS. JAS. C., 19 Central Park West, one scrap book.
COOPER, MRS. R. J. JR., New Rochelle, scrap books.

- COOPER, MRS. ED. C., 312 West 99th Street, flowers.
 COSTER, MRS. F., 152 West 75th Street, box dolls and toys.
 CROCKER, MRS. GEO. A., 5 West 49th Street, flowers, in memory of MR. GEO. A. CROCKER.
 DARDS, MR. CHAS. A., flowers.
 DEBARY, MR. AND MRS. A., 5 West 52d Street, toys, games, etc., two boxes of oranges.
 DEBARY, F. and Co., one box of oranges.
 DEGENER, MRS. GEO. L., 19 West 69th Street, toys.
 DELLINGER, MISS, 122 West 43d Street, eandy.
 DEVEAU, F. C., 59 East 53d Street, toys.
 DODGE, MRS., 90 Park Avenue, bath robes and towels.
 DUNCAN, MISS., 9 East 64th Street, twelve dressed dolls.
 EDMONDSON, MISS M. R., 1264 Lexington Avenue, lily.
 EHRET, MR. GEO., one box of oranges, one barrel of apples.
 ESSING, MR. ARTH., 200 boxes of eandy at Christmas.
 FAIRCHILD, MRS. BLAIR, Murray Hill Hotel, shoes.
 FARON, MISS LUCY K., 1001 Lorimer Street, Brooklyn, doll.
 FERRIS, MISS CARRIE, Mt. Vernon, serap book.
 FISH, MISS, eandy.
 FLEISHMAN'S BAKERY, fifty loaves of bread.
 FLINT, ADELAIDE and MARION, 34 E. 54th Street, books and toys.
 FRIENDLY CLUB, POLOMES TALMUD TORAH SUNDAY SCHOOL, per MISS S. MEINHARDT, 784 Fifth Avenue, toys.
 FRIENDS, an innumerable collection of useful artieles.
 FRIENDS, JUNIOR CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR GUILD, Chappaqua, N. Y., flowers.
 FRITTS, JOSEPHINE H., 19 Chestnut Street, Oneonta, N. Y., silver paper and roses.
 FROST, MISS E. R., 1539 Broadway, eandy, pictures, dolls, etc.
 GALLATIN, MISS CORNELIA L., 25 Gramercy Park, pictures, tracing slates, dolls, eandy, games, etc.
 GARDNER, REV. W. A. A., 341 West Street, books.
 GEDNEY, MISS LOUISE, Mamaroneek, N. Y., wild violets.
 GEOGHEGAN, MRS. C. A., 2 West 86th Street, dolls, toys and eandy.
 GIBNEY, DR. HOMER, 31 West 36th Street, medieal and other books, periodieals and theatre tickets on a number of oecasions.
 GIBNEY, DR. V. P., 16 Park Avenue, Nesselrode pudding, and Neapolitan ice cream and eake for doetor's and nurse's table and eigars for the doetors at Christmas.
 GILCHRIST, MISS C., 492 Columbus Avenue, knit balls and slippers.
 GIRL'S CLUB OF THE WOMAN'S LOYAL LEAGUE, Rye, N. Y., 10 knit eomfortables.
 GLOGAN, MRS. EMILE, 113 West 75th Street, books.
 GODDARD, MRS. J. W., 52 E. 57th Street, serap book.
 GOLDEN, MRS., 19 East 83d Street, flowers.
 GOLDMAN, MRS. MAYER C., 133 West 140th Street, toys.
 GOULD, MR. FK. J., 834 5th Avenue, 2 baby earriages, 1 walking maachine, toys.
 GREENE, MISS E., 211 West 128th Street, picture cards.
 GRIFFITH, THE MISSES, 21 West 56th Street, ealendars.
 GROESBECK, MR. H. A., SR., 141 East 25th Street, serap books.
 GUGGENHEIM, MISS GERT. R., 743 5th Avenue, shoes, bloeks, balls, tops, etc.



ROBIN'S NEST, TARRYTOWN, N. Y.

- HALL, MSTR. JNO. H., 33 East 61st Street, toy elephant.
HALL, LITTLE TOM, New Rochelle, candy mottoes.
HALL, MRS. G. P., 254 West 78th Street, 5 books.
HALL, MISS C. K., 124 East 38th Street, 15 qts. ice cream.
HALLOCK, MRS. W. R., Chappaqua, Sunday School Papers.
HARTUNG, MISSES, 228 West 52d Street, dolls.
HASKINGS, MRS., 56 East 72d Street, cut flowers.
HAYWARD, ARTHUR, and MARY, 460 So. 7th Avenue, Mt. Vernon, flowers.
HAZARD, MRS. W. A., Cedarhurst, L. I., toys, books, etc.
HERALD, THE NEW YORK, 36 dolls.
HIGGINSON, MR. J. J., 16 East 41st Street, barrel of apples.
HOGAN, MRS. JEFFERSON, 93 Park Avenue, Kindergarten work and dolls,
11 work boards, kite.
HOLT, MRS. P. H., Summit, N. J., flowers.
HOLT, ROBT. and EVELYN, 70 Oak Ridge Summit, N. J., wild flowers.
HOPE, MR. ANDREW J., 41 Nassau Street, caramels.
HORACE MANN KINDERGARTEN, through MISS KATE McMAHON, large
box of toys.
HULL, C. E., So. Salem, N. Y., chocolate and small boxes, toys,
games, etc.
HUMFREY, MR. H., 5 East 42d Street, flowers.
HUNTINGTON, MRS. A. H., 2 cases books.
HURRY, MR. RANDOLPH, provided an automobile ride for some adult pa-
tients on May 7, 1907.
INGLIS, MRS. J. S., 101 Park Avenue, clothing, pictorial postal cards, candy,
fruit, nuts, dolls and toys.
INTERNATIONAL ART PUB. Co., 3 Waverly Place, calendars.
JACKSON, MRS. JOS. C., 138 East 34th Street, books.
JANTZEN SHOE Co., 242 6th Avenue, shoes.
JEFFRAS, MRS. CHAS., 117 West 58th Street, and MISS SEWARD, 4 Wash-
ington Square, No., rabbits filled with colored eggs at Easter.
JOYCE, MRS. J. A., 269 West 140th Street, piano.
JUNIOR CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR, South Baptist Church, Tottenville, S. I.,
through LYNN MARTIN, flowers.
KELLY, MRS. J. D. JERROLD, in memory of MORELL JERROLD KELLY and
ADA HOWARD MORELL, ice cream and cake.
KAHN, MRS. S., 139 East 42d Street, bean bags.
KANE, MRS., 23 West 47th Street, in memory of her son, S. NICHOLSON
KANE, flowers.
KELLY, ADEL AND EMMA, 3 East 73d Street, dolls and toys.
KEAN, REV. FATHER, oranges and candy.
KENDALL, R. V., 12 Gramercy Park, kimonos and corset covers.
KING'S DAUGHTERS BRIARCLIFF CONG'L. CHURCH, toys.
KNAPP, MISS, 266 Lexington Avenue, flowers.
KOUNTZE, MRS. L., 5 East 57th Street, Easter lilies.
KRIEG, CHAS. H. & Co., 110 Reade Street, Christmas bells.
LAMONT, MISS FRANCES CLEVELAND, flowers.
LAW, MRS. JOS. T., 47 West 52d Street, scrap picture cards.
LAWRENCE, C. J., 81 Park Avenue, toys.
LEDYARD, MRS. L. C., 27 East 72d Street, linen.
LEFFERTS, MRS. R., 24 West 37th Street, clothing.
LEWIS, MRS. HY. D., 145 West 72d Street, scrap books.

- LITTLE, MRS., candy for boys' wards.
- LIVINGSTON, MISS, 152 West 75th Street, box dolls, fruit and toys.
- LOEWENSTEIN, MRS. CHAS., 300 Central Park West, books.
- LOTTA, MISS, ice cream.
- LOWE, MRS. W. C., 1024 Park Avenue, Plainfield, N. J., picture cards.
- LYONS, J., 1361 3d Avenue, 2 pair of shoes, 1 pair crutches.
- MCALPIN, MR. B. R., on June 20, 1907, treated the children to an enjoyable outing in Central Park, with ice cream and cake.
- MCCONNELL, MR. ALEX., 571 5th Avenue, flowers.
- MCGARRAH, MISS MARION, 108 East 57th Street, 12 dressed dolls.
- MCINTOSH, MR. WM. A., photos.
- McLANE, MR. GUY R., flowers.
- McMAHON, MR. F., 28 West 39th Street, carnations.
- NALLY, MRS. E. J., 106 Whitestone Avenue, Flushing, flowers.
- NATHAN, MR. CLAR. S., 9 Franklin Street, calendars.
- NATIONAL PLANT, FLOWER AND FRUIT GUILD, flowers.
- NEEDLEWORK GUILD OF AMERICA, 12 West 18th Street, wearing apparel.
- NEW YORK FLOWER MISSION, 104 East 20th Street, flowers.
- NICHOLAS, MR. J. S., 37 E. 42d Street, flowers.
- OGDEN, MISS E., 142 East 18th Street, scrap book.
- OSBORN, MRS. W. H., New Milford, Conn., text cards and flowers.
- OWENS, MRS. W. W., 553 5th Avenue, scrap books.
- PANCOAST, MISS, 20 Central Park West, parlor ten pins and books.
- PARSONS, MRS. CHAS., 99 Park Avenue, 17 glasses jelly.
- PHAYRE, MISS, 105 West 121st Street, 5 scrap books.
- PHILATHEA CLASS, 598 East 3d Street, Brooklyn, flowers.
- PILGRIM, S. S., Canaan, Conn., books, games, toys, candy, etc.
- PINKNEY, MISS MARY G., cut flowers.
- PLATT, MRS. F. H., 242 West 74th Street, flowers in memory of ELLEN BARSTOW PLATT.
- PLOUGH, MISS NATALIE, 241 West 102d Street, toys and books.
- PLUMMER, MR. F. A., 152 Madison Avenue, flowers.
- POST, MRS. H. A., 1690 Broadway, flowers in memory of LOUISE RANDOLPH POST.
- POTTER, THE MISSES, flowers and fruit on several occasions.
- POTTER, MISS BLANCHE, scrap books. On May 8, 1907, MISS POTTER provided a most enjoyable entertainment for the children.
- PRUGER, MRS., 2 horses and carriage.
- PUBLIC SCHOOL No. 49, flowers.
- PUBLIC SCHOOL No. 85, 8a Class, scrap books.
- PUBLIC SCHOOL No. 151, 6B2 Class, dolls.
- RAND, JR., MRS. W. H., Rye, N. Y., 17 dolls, 16 card board pictures from GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY CHRIST CHURCH.
- RAPELYE, MISS, 50 East 58th Street, dressed dolls, Easter cards and eggs filled with candy.
- REDFIELD, MR., 40 West 45th Street, magazines.
- REDMOND, MR. GERALDYN, several boxed flowers and trecs which have served to beautify the roof.
- REIS, W. E., 18 West 82d Street, books.
- REMMERT, MR. H. G., 884 6th Avenue, box oranges.
- ROBBINS, MRS. T. FRED, Scarboro, flowers.
- ROBERTS, LOUISE, Madison, N. J., scrap books.

- ROCHE, MRS. EDWARD G., 341 Madison Avenue, piano, 190 Easter eggs, 30 quarts ice cream, also candy on many occasions.
- ROSSIN, MRS. ALF. S., 15 East 62d Street, toys.
- ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH, 8 potted plants, cut flowers, at Easter; dolls, games, toys, tools, books and wild flowers.
- ST. THOMAS' CHURCH, choir entertained with singing.
- SEING, MISS, Robins Nest, N. Y., flowers.
- SHANNON, MISS G. M., 154 West 58th Street, dolls and toys.
- SHEFFIELD, MRS. G., 143 East 39th Street, periodicals.
- SHEPHERD, MR. JAS. G., Scranton, Pa., 175 pounds candy.
- SHERMAN, MRS. J. T., 553 5th Avenue, old linen.
- SHERRY, MR. LOUIS, 524 5th Avenue, cotillion favors.
- SHRIVER, MRS. H. T., Larchmont, 30 quarts ice cream.
- SIMON, MRS. JULIUS, 2783 Broadway, periodicals and books.
- SIMPSON, MISS L., Chappaqua, N. Y., games, dolls, toys and books.
- SMITH, M. E., 745 East 134th Street, picture cards.
- SNEDEKER, CHAS. V., 1048 5th Avenue, toys.
- SPENCE, MISS, on July 16, 1907, delighted and entertained the children with songs.
- SQUIER, MRS. S. C., AND ROGER C. EDSON, Greenwich, Ct., flowers.
- STARIN, MRS., 244 West 55th Street, brace.
- STEARNS, MRS. LOUIS, 323 West 76th Street, toys.
- STEARNS, MRS. JNO. N., SR., flowers, in memory of Mr. Jno. N. Stearns.
- STEPHENS, MISS, 28 East 54th Street, dolls and toys.
- STOCKBRIDGE, MISS DOROTHY, AND HER LITTLE CLUB, 404 West 115th Street, doll and house, 2 books.
- STREET, MISS, 43 Park Avenue, scrap books.
- STURGES, MR. FRED'K, 36 Park Avenue, 12 pounds sausage, 30 glasses jelly. On January 30, 1907, Mr. Sturges provided a delightful reception and dance for the nurses and their friends.
- SULLIVAN, MRS., 1020 5th Avenue, plants.
- TALCOT, JULIA D., 62 West 39th Street, books.
- TAYLOR, JAS. B., JR., PRISCILLA AND MILDRED, 30 East 50th Street, stockings filled with candy at Christmas.
- TAYLOR, ED. J., Southport, flowers.
- THAYER, MISS LILLIAN M., Northfield, toys.
- THOMAS, MRS. SETH E., AND THE MISSES THOMAS, 8 West 20th Street, toys, books, etc.
- THORP, MRS. FRED'K, Greenwich, Ct., flowers.
- TUCKERMAN, MISS MAY, 118 East 37th Street, flowers.
- VAN BUREN, MISS, scrap book.
- VAN BUREN, C. G., Spring Lake, 30 quarts ice cream in memory of SUSAN M. VAN BUREN.
- VANDERLIP, MR. AND MRS. F. A., Scarboro, toys and flowers at Easter.
- VERNON, L. S., Scarsdale, flowers.
- VOGEL, MRS., 106 East 37th Street, flowers.
- VOORHEES, 53 West 72nd Street, toys.
- WALKER GORDON LABORATORY, 573 Madison Avenue, 20 bottles modified milk, 20 bottles cream.
- WALLACE, MRS. F. W., 955 Hillside Avenue, Plainfield, N. J., toys, dolls, horns, etc.

- WALSH, MR. THOS. J., ship and table.
WARING, MRS. C. B., 247 West 37th Street, 40 pieces wearing apparel.
WEATHERBEE, MRS. E. H., 240 Madison Avenue, flowers.
WESTCOTT, MRS. ROBT. E., 1 West 72nd Street, flowers in memory of Mr.
ROBT. E. WESTCOTT.
WHITE, MISS M. L., AND PUPILS, Chappaqua, wild flowers.
WHITE, MISS A., 705 Tremont Avenue, dolls and books.
WIGGINS, MRS. WM., 343 West 86th Street, cut flowers.
WILLARD, MRS., 52 West 39th Street, wheel chair.
WILLETS, MRS. S., Purchase, N. Y., scrap books, etc.
WILLIS, THE MISSES, 39 East 29th Street, flowers, in memory of JOSEPH-
INE GALE WILLIS.
WILLIS, MRS. W. R., 262 West 127th Street, doll.
WINCH, ISABEL, 711 73d Street, Brooklyn, toys.
WITHERELL, MRS. REB., provided a feast of ice cream and cake on May 6;
on May 13, a delightful entertainment, and on May 14, a most enjoy-
able drive through Central Park and Riverside Drive, with soda, fruit
and candy for all.
YEUVY, MRS. A., 345 West 51st Street, scrap books and card baskets.

OPEN AIR FUND.

Dr. James Knight, the founder of the hospital, established the Open Air Fund many years ago. The money contributed enables us to send children during the late spring, the summer, and the early autumn, into the country, where the most marked improvement has been noted. It will be seen that the railroads and express companies are among our most valuable contributors.

Mrs. Wm. H. Bradford, in memory of Wm. H. Bradford.....	\$200.00
Clementine E. Boynton	5.00
Mrs. Wm. S. Brown	50.00
Mrs. M. Witherell	50.00
Mary Mildred Williams	10.00
Mrs. Archer Huntington	150.00
Mrs. H. T. Shriver	8.40
B. R. McAlpine	38.15
Sale of Toys by Madeline Breisen, Laura Levisson and Hazel Kerr, for ice cream treat	7.70
Mrs. Henry Holt	20.00
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	\$539.25

In addition to the subscription of moneys, the following contributions to the fund were received:

ROBIN'S NEST, Tarrytown, N. Y. (Board of Lady Managers), board of 75 children, remaining 3218 days.

COUNTRY HOME FOR CONVALESCENT BABIES at Sea Cliff, L. I., 517 days care of 9 children.

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY, Bath Beach, 497 days care of 44 children.

JACKSON & Co., Expressage during the year and carriage of children to and from the stations.

CAMPBELL COTTAGE, White Plains, N. Y., 1 child remaining 67 days.

CRIPPLED CHILDREN'S DRIVING ASSOCIATION. Rides twice weekly during past seven months, 32 children each time.

NEW YORK CENTRAL RAILROAD, reduction of fares.

SEA SIDE HOSPITAL, St. John's Guild, 7 children remaining 402 days.

MAGGIE KNAPP FUND.

The late Maggie Knapp, of Mt. Kisco, N. Y., left by legacy a sum of one hundred dollars to the Society, as a nucleus for a fund, which should be devoted to comforts and delicacies for children who are very ill. She was, from birth up to the time of her death, an out-patient at the Hospital, and was desirous of showing her gratitude in this way.

September 30th, 1907, Balance on Hand.....\$144.47

JOHN H. RUTHERFORD FUND.

Contributed by Mr. Rutherford for special cases through Dr. Wm. B. Coley.

September 30th, 1907, Balance on Hand.....\$546.69

CHRISTMAS FUND.

A number of friends regularly contribute to this special fund, thus enabling the management to provide not only an enjoyable dinner, but a Christmas tree laden with substantial presents for the ward patients.

Frederick Sturges	\$100.00
Miss Helen Gould	100.00
Mrs. J. A. Rice	5.00
Gustave Lange	5.00
Mrs. F. Manfred.....	1.00
Norwich, Conn.	1.00
Katharine Woodruff90
Broadway Tabernacle, Infant Class Sunday School.....	20.00
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	\$232.90

THANKSGIVING FUND.

The money here donated is used for a Thanksgiving dinner. Our contributors would do well to pay us a visit in order to learn how keenly their gifts are appreciated. The following donations were received this year:

Mrs. Wm. S. Brown	\$50.00
Paid from Principal of Endowment Fund to cover deficit for year	56.62
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	\$106.62

CLOTHING FUND.

A few years ago Mr. Jacob H. Schiff contributed a sum of money—\$250.00—as a nucleus for a Clothing Fund. The money contributed for this purpose is used for the benefit of destitute children.

Mrs. Wm. H. Bradford, in memory of Wm. H. Bradford.....	\$100.00
Mrs. N. S. Meinhard	5.00
Paid from principal of Endowment Fund to cover deficit for year	41.88
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	\$146.88



ROOF GARDEN—BOY'S DIVISION.



THANKSGIVING ENTERTAINMENT—HOSPITAL SCHOOL.

INCORPORATION

CERTIFICATE OF INTENTION TO INCORPORATE THE NEW YORK SOCIETY FOR THE RELIEF OF THE RUPTURED AND CRIPPLED.

THE undersigned being each and every one of them of full age, and citizens of the State of New York, desiring to associate themselves for the benevolent and charitable object hereinafter expressed, that they may become a body corporate and politic, and be enabled to conduct the business of the Society in the City and County of New York, according to the provisions of an "Act for Incorporation of Benevolent, Charitable, Scientific, and Missionary Societies," passed April 12, 1848, and of the Acts supplementary to an amendatory of the same, do for these purposes hereby certify:

I. That the name and title by which such institution shall be known in law is, The New York Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled.

II. That the particular business and object of such a Society shall be to supply skillfully constructed surgico-mechanical appliances and the treatment of in- and out-door patients requiring trusses and spring supports; also bandages, laced stockings, and other suitable apparatus for the relief and cure of cripples, both adults and children, and, so far as possible, to make these benefits available to the poorest in the community.

III. That the Board of Managers to manage the same shall consist of a President, five Vice-Presidents, one Treasurer, one Corresponding Secretary, one Recording Secretary, and twelve members to be chosen annually.

IV. That the following-named persons shall constitute the Board of Managers for the first year, viz: ROBERT B. MINTURN, JOHN C. GREEN, STEWART BROWN, A. R. WETMORE, WILLIAM A. BOOTH, ROBERT M. HARTLEY, JOSEPH B. COLLINS, JAMES W. BEEKMAN, GEORGE GRISWOLD, JOHN DAVID WOLFE, ENOCH L. FANCHER, JAMES KNIGHT, JONATHAN STURGES, JOHN W. QUINCY, THOMAS DENNY, LUTHER R. MARSH, CHARLES N. TALBOT, J. F. SHEAFE, HENRY S. TERBELL, NATHAN BISHOP.

V. That the amount of real and personal estate to be held by the Society shall be determined by the demands made upon it, within the limitations of the law.

VI. In witness whereof, we hereunto subscribe our names, in the city of New York, this, the eighteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two.

ROBERT MINTURN.
JOHN C. GREEN.
STEWART BROWN.
A. R. WETMORE.
WILLIAM A. BOOTH.
ROBERT M. HARTLEY.
JOSEPH B. COLLINS.
JONATHAN STURGES.
JAMES W. BEEKMAN.
GEORGE GRISWOLD.

JOHN DAVID WOLFE,
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LUTHER R. MARSH.
CHARLES N. TALBOT.
J. F. SHEAFE.
HENRY S. TERBELL.
NATHAN BISHOP.
JOHN W. QUINCY.

In the presence of, as to—

JOHN C. GREEN, JAMES W. BEEKMAN, GEORGE GRISWOLD, ENOCH L. FANCHER, LUTHER R. MARSH, J. F. SHEAFE, HENRY S. TERBELL, NATHAN BISHOP, JOHN W. QUINCY.

ROBERT M. HARTLEY.

J. LAWRENCE SLOSSON, as to all the remaining subscribers.

City and County of New York, ss.: On the eighteenth day of December, A.D. 1862, before me personally appeared ROBERT B. MINTURN, STEWART BROWN, A. R. WETMORE, WILLIAM A. BOOTH, ROBERT M. HARTLEY, JOSEPH B. COLLINS, JOHN DAVID WOLFE, JONATHAN STURGES, and JAMES KNIGHT; and on the second day of January, A.D. 1863 before me personally appeared THOMAS DENNY; and on the twentieth day of January, A.D. 1863, before me personally appeared CHARLES N. TALBOT—all to me known to be eleven of the individuals who executed the foregoing instrument, and who severally acknowledged to me that they executed the same. And on this sixteenth day of March, A.D. 1863, before me personally appeared ROBERT M. HARTLEY, subscribing witness to the foregoing instrument, as to JOHN C. GREEN, JAMES W. BEEKMAN, GEORGE GRISWOLD, ENOCH L. FANCHER, LUTHER R. MARSH, J. F. SHEAFE, HENRY S. TERBELL, NATHAN BISHOP, and JOHN W. QUINCY, to me known, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say, that he resided in the city of New York, that he knew the persons last above recited, that he saw them execute the foregoing instrument, that they acknowledged to him that they executed the same, and that he signed the same as a witness thereto.

Endorsed—J. LAWRENCE SLOSSON,
Notary Public.

Approved, GEORGE G. BARNARD, *Justice Supreme Court*.

STATE OF NEW YORK, }
City and County of New York. } ss.

I, HENRY W. GENET, Clerk of the City and County aforesaid, do hereby certify that I have compared with the preceding the original of a Certificate of Incorporation on file in my office, and that the same is a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole of such Certificate of Incorporation.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal,
the 27th day of March, 1863.

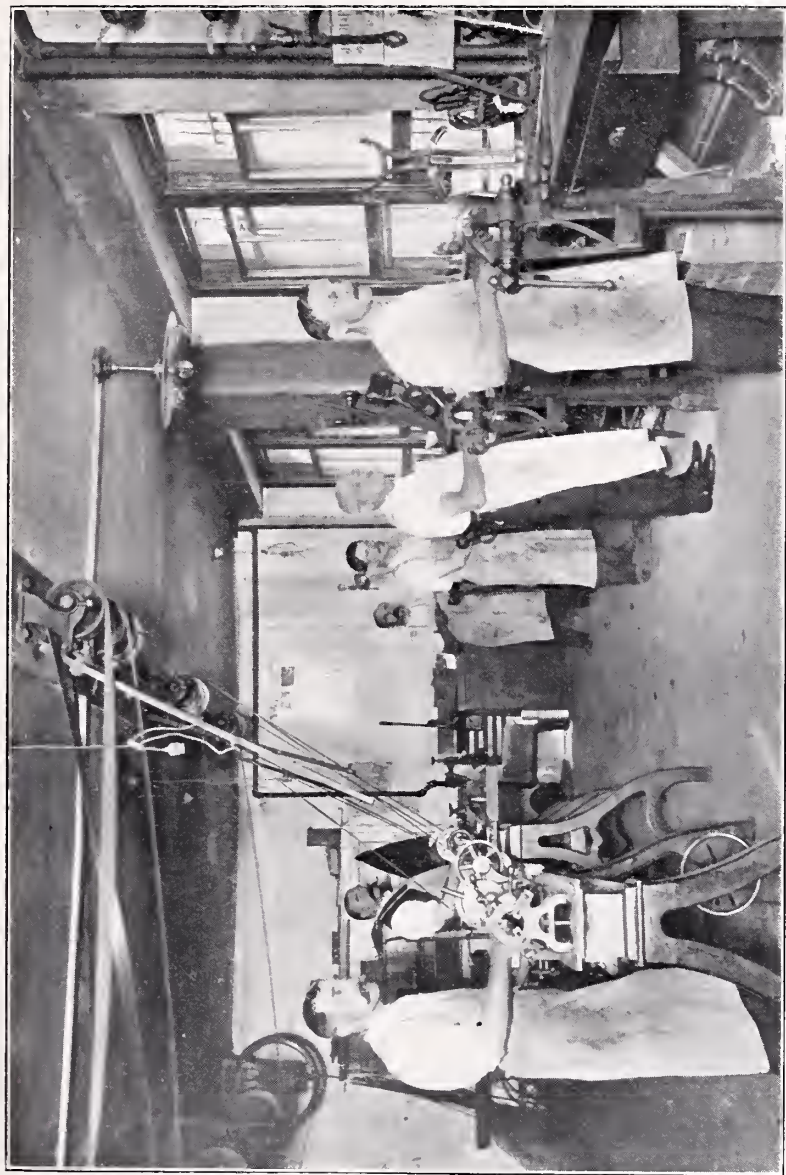
H. W. GENET, Clerk.

STATE OF NEW YORK, }
Office of the Secretary of State. } ss.

I have compared the preceding with the original Certificate of Incorporation of the New York Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled, with acknowledgment thereto annexed, filed in this office on the thirteenth day of April, 1863, and hereby certify the same to be a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole of said original.

Witness my hand and seal of office of Secretary of State, at the City of Albany, this thirteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three.

J. WESLEY SMITH,
Deputy Secretary of State.



BRACE SHOP

CHAPTER 638—AN ACT

Authorizing the New York Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled to hold Real and Personal Estate. Passed April 23, 1867.

The people of the State of New York, represented in the Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. The New York Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled are hereby authorized to take by purchase, devise or otherwise, and to hold, transfer, and convey, for the purposes of this incorporation, and for no other purpose, real property to an amount not exceeding the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars in value, and personal property to an amount not exceeding the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars in value, provided that any such devise shall be subject to existing laws in relation to wills.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

STATE OF NEW YORK, }
Office of the Secretary of State. } ss.

I have compared the preceding with the original law on file in this office, and do hereby certify that the same is a correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole of said original law.

Given under my hand and seal of office, at the City of Albany,
this twenty-seventh day of May, in the year one thousand
eight hundred and sixty-seven.



ERASTUS CLARK,
Deputy Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 528—AN ACT

To amend section one of chapter thirty-seven of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-seven, entitled "An Act to amend section one of chapter six hundred and thirty-eight of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-seven, entitled "An Act authorizing the New York Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled to hold Real and Personal Estate." Passed June 2, 1886; three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Section one of chapter thirty-seven of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-seven, entitled "An Act to amend section one of chapter six hundred and thirty-eight of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-seven, entitled 'An Act authorizing the New York Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled to hold Real and Personal Estate,'" is hereby amended to read as follows:

§ 1. The New York Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled is hereby authorized to take by purchase, gift, bequest, devise, or otherwise, and to hold, transfer, and convey for the purpose of this corporation, and for no other purpose, real property to an amount not exceeding the sum of one million dollars in value, and personal property to an amount not exceeding one million dollars in value, provided that such bequest

and devise shall be subject to the existing laws in relation to wills; and provided further that no salary, fees, or compensation shall be paid to or received by any Trustee or Officer of said Society out of any funds or property of the Society.

§ 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

STATE OF NEW YORK. }
Office of the Secretary of State } ss.

I have compared the preceding with the original law on file in this office, and do hereby certify that the same is a correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole of said law.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Secretary of State,
at the City of Albany, this seventh day of June, in the
year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.



FREDERICK COOK,
Secretary of State.

EXTRACTS FROM THE CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

*As Revised February 18, 1864; Amended June 9, 1868, October 9, 1869, and
April 25, 1876.*

OBJECTS OF THE SOCIETY.

The objects of the Society are to apply skillfully constructed surgico-mechanical appliances, for the treatment of in- and out-door patients, and those requiring trusses, spring supports, bandages, laced stockings, and apparatus for the cure of cripples, both adults and children, on such conditions as will make their benefits available, so far as is possible, to the poorest in the city free of charge.

Contributors to the Support of the Institution.

Each annual contributor of five dollars and upward shall be entitled to recommend out-door patients.

Each contributor of fifty dollars and upward, at one time, shall have for life the privilege of an annual contributor.

Each contributor of five hundred dollars and upward, at one time, shall be denominated a Patron of the Society, and be entitled to the privileges of the foregoing contributors.

Free Beds.

1. A donation of three thousand dollars shall entitle the donor, during life, to place a child in the Hospital for treatment; and when such child is removed to place another in its stead.

2. A donation or bequest of five thousand dollars shall entitle the giver (as soon as the money is received) to the above rights in perpetuity; the rights to be transmitted in writing or by will, otherwise to cease.

3. The payment of one hundred dollars entitles the contributor to the treatment of an indigent patient in the Hospital for one year, or of such a patient for every hundred dollars paid to the Institution.

RULES GOVERNING PATIENTS.

1. The office hours for the treatment of non-resident patients shall be from 1 to 3 o'clock P. M. daily, Sundays and public holidays excepted.

2. Non-resident patients neglecting to present themselves at the Hospital for inspection, as directed by the Surgeon-in-Chief or his Assistants, may be deprived of the privilege of further free treatment at the Hospital.

3. No person shall be received as a resident patient whose case does not require the particular benefits of this Hospital; nor shall any who have the small-pox or measles, or any malignant, infectious or contagious disease, be received into any ward with other patients. In all cases, before reception of a patient, careful examination shall be made to determine whether the symptoms are capable of being relieved by Hospital treatment.

4. Persons are to be received upon such conditions and terms as may be agreed upon by the Executive Committee, who shall determine the same, as far as may be expedient, by general rules.

5. No officer or servant of this Institution shall accept any gift from a patient, except by consent of the Visiting Committee.

6. If any patient shall not conform to the By-Laws and Regulations of the Hospital, or shall behave rudely or indecently, such patient may be immediately discharged by the Surgeon-in-Chief, who shall forthwith report such discharge, and the cause thereof, to the Visiting Committee.

7. Resident patients seized by a contagious or infectious disease will be forthwith removed by the Board of Health, and notice given at the same time to the family or friends of the patient.

8. No resident patient shall leave the Hospital premises without the permission of the Superintendent; nor shall a resident patient be removed or discharged therefrom without a written permit or discharge from the Surgeon-in-Chief, or House Surgeon.

9. No article of any description belonging to a patient shall be removed from the Hospital without permission of the Superintendent; and all articles brought to the Hospital for the use of patients, as donations, or otherwise, must be given in the first place to the Superintendent for examination and record.

NEW YORK SOCIETY

FOR THE RELIEF OF THE

RUPTURED AND CRIPPLED

Lexington Avenue, 42d and 43d Streets

NEW YORK

RULES.—The Hospital will be open every week-day for the treatment of out-patients from 1 to 3 P. M. Applicants for admission of in-patients will be received every day (Sundays and Legal Holidays excepted) from 1 to 3 P. M. Day for parents and friends to visit in-patients, Saturday from 2 to 4 P. M. Other bays, visitors to the Hospital admitted between 2 and 4.30 P. M.

The Society will furnish medical treatment and bandages for every curable variety of deformity, viz: spinal diseases tending to hump-back, hip-disease, white swellings, and all deformities resulting from paralysis and rickets. Also, trusses for adults and infants, supporters for women, laced stockings for enlarged veins and ulcerated limbs, and every variety of bandages for this class of sufferers. The charity is confined to New York City, and patients without the limits will be required to pay board and washing. Curable children, aged 4 to 14, will be received into the hospital for treatment after an examination in out-patient department, corner 43d Street.

CONDITIONS.—1. To the poor, unable to pay, gratis; to others a charge will be made to cover the cost of the apparatus needed.

2. Those living without the limits of New York City who require treatment in hospital will be required to pay for board and apparatus if required.

3. The hours for examination are from 1 to 3 P. M., and it is urgently requested that physicians and patrons who recommend patients will send them between these hours.

NOTE.—The Society is mainly dependent for support on its receipts and the contribution of the benevolent.

Contributions are solicited, and may be sent to **MR. JOHN S. MELCHER**, Treasurer, 27 William Street, or to any of the Officers or Managers of the Hospital.

**Entrance to Out-patient Department, corner 43d Street
and Lexington Avenue.**

This Department is open daily, except **SUNDAYS AND LEGAL HOLIDAYS**, from 1 to 3 o'clock, P. M.

A SPECIAL REQUEST is made, that **PHYSICIANS** and **CONTRIBUTORS** sending patients to the Hospital for in- and out-door treatment state the ability or inability of such patients to pay the cost price of apparatus.
